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On the Twenty Eighth past.

Giving an Account of the Bailing the Right Honourable *Anthony* Earl of *Shaftsbury*, *William* Lord *Howard* Baron of *Escrick*, *Edward Whittakar*, *John Willmore* and *Samuel Wilson*: With the Names of such Persons of Honour, and others, as became Sureties. Together with many other Remarkable Passages.

November the Twenty Eighth. This being the last day of the Term, the Right Honourable *Anthony* Earl of *Shaftsbury*, *William* Lord *Howard* Baron of *Escrick*, Mr. *John Willmore* and Mr. *Edward Whittakar* were brought from the Tower of *London* by the Lieutenant and a Guard of Halberts, in order to their being Bailed, according to the Act of the Thirteenth of His present Majesty. Whereupon, Mr. *Williams* moved the Court in the behalf of the Earl: and satisfied them, that Mr. *Attorney General* had been waited upon on that occasion: when as the Warrant of his Commitment for High Treason, dated the Second of *July*, was Read, and Ordered to be Filed. After which, his Lordship insisted upon being set at Liberty, without giving in Bail; saying, that he had had hard Measure, and had been falsely Scandaled, by having such things layed to his Charge as he was altogether Ignorant of. But the Court declaring that they could not set him at Liberty without Giving Bail, his Lordship nominated His Grace the Duke of *Monmouth*, Sir *William Cooper*, Sir *John Sidnum*

Sidnum and *Francis Charlton* Esquire ; who were Bound severally in the penalty of Fifteen Hundred Pounds a peice, and his Lordship in the Sum of Three Thousand Pounds, to appear the First Day of the next Term, and not to depart without leave of the Court.

Next the Lord *Howard's* Warrant of Commitment for High Treason was read, being Dated the Fourteenth of *June*, and Ordered to be Filed. His Lordship alledged, that he ought to have had the Penesit of the last Term, there being a Bill Preferred against him. But the Court told him, they could take no notice of that, by reason it was withdrawn. Then His Lordship named his Bail ; which were, the Right Honourable the Earl of *Kent*, the Lord *Clare*, the Lord *Gray* and the Lord *Herbert* : the Penal Sum being exactly as the former.

Then Mr. *John Willmore's* Warrant of Commitment being Read, and Ordered to be Filed, Mr. Attorney Declaring he had nothing against him, his Bail were called into Court ; whose Names are as follow : *James Rawlins*, *William Jacob*, *Nicholas Grigson* and *Alexander Probe* ; who were bound in Fifteen Hundred Pound a peice, and himself in Three Thousand Pound.

Then *Edward Whittakar* (whose Warrant of Commitment being Read and Filed as the former) produced his Bail ; viz, *John Jenkins*, *Zacharia Bourn*, *Samuel Smith* and *Thomas Wicks* ; being all Bound in the aforesaid Penalty for him to appear the First Day of the next Term ; and so, *Die in Diem*, till the said Bail should be discharged.

Upon my Lord *Howard's*, Mr. *Willmore's* and Mr. *Whittakar's* refusing to pay such Fees as the Lieutenant demanded, he complained to the Court. But they told him, he must take his Course at Law ; they could not oblige them to pay it, unless they were willing. Upon which, My Lord *Howard* said, that he knew no such Fees due as was demanded ; nor would he pay them, unless they appeared due upon Tryal ; and offered to give an Appearance : which being accepted, he nominated Mr. *Governough* his Attorney. The like did Mr. *Willmore*. But Mr. *Whittakar* being an Attorney of the *Common Pleas*, the Proceedings against him were referred to that Court.

After this, *Samuel Wilson* was brought from the *Gate-house*, and Bailed accordingly.

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